

Laboratory Training Program

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Student Fellowship Opportunity at Kansas State University



The NBAF Laboratorian Training Program (NLTP) will provide experience in:

- conducting viral assays in a high containment laboratory at the Biosecurity Research Institute (BRI),
- conducting assays and procedures commonly used in a diagnostic laboratory,
- common procedures used in a high containment large animal research setting,
- working with mosquitoes for use in a laboratory setting, and
- how to apply for positions with USDA APHIS or other government laboratories, such as, the Foreign Animal Disease Diagnostic Laboratory (FADDL), the NBAF in Manhattan, KS, or the National Veterinary Services Laboratories (NVSL) in Ames, IA.



Animal room in a high containment setting

Program Requirements

- Must be a U.S. Citizen
- Must be entering junior or senior year of undergraduate study OR have recently graduated in the field of biology, chemistry, microbiology, agricultural sciences, or other related major
- Exhibit a strong interest in working at NBAF or NVSL in a technical laboratory position

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Summer Stipend Available

More information and complete application requirements at:



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Mosquito insectary



All application materials must be received by 11:59 p.m. CT, **November 5, 2023.**